



# **C50 Protective Mask**

**New Equipment Training** 





# **Avon Protection Systems, Inc. - Our History**

Avon Rubber p.l.c, our UK parent company, has manufactured high-performance rubber products since **1885**.

Established in Wiltshire, England, Avon Rubber (trading as AVON on the London Stock Exchange) is a worldwide provider of superior respiratory protection, dairy and defense industry products.

In response to its award of the JSGPM program by the US Department of Defense, Avon divested of the automotive, aerosol gaskets and product mixing business units to focus primarily on the Respiratory Protection and Dairy products.

















# **Our Mask Pedigree**

















- ✓Improved vision
- ✓ Improved comfort
- ✓ Improved fit
- ✓ Improved protection factor
- ✓Improved communications
- ✓ Improved compatibility

"One mask for all DOD users and missions"



# **50 Series - Timeline of Key Program Events**

Oct 19, 1998

Development Program Start Mar 30, 2000

PDRR Contract Award Apr 4, 2002

System Demo Option Award Q4 2005

LRIP Option Award January 2006 FRP Decision

#### JSGPM/M50 Mission:

Provide Face, Eye and Respiratory Protection from Battlefield Concentrations of CB Agents, Toxins, Toxic Industrial Materials and Radioactive Particulate Matter

**User Groups -All Services** - Replaces Current M40/M42 and MCU-2/P Series Protective Masks

#### **Current Status:**

- •In Full Rate Production
- •300,000 systems delivered to date (>50,000 C50's)
- •Product fielded to US Armed Forces in NA, Guam, Turkey, South Korea, UK
- •Mask Capacity currently @ 300,000 units/year

C50 is the NIOSH approved variant









SYSTEM	<b>NIOSH</b> TC Number
C50 / C50 Twin Port and CTF12 filter	TC-14G-0278
C50 / C50 Twin Port and CBRNF12 filter	TC-14G-0285
C50 / C50 Twin Port and CBRNF12B filter	EARLY 2010
FM53 a. LCTF12 filter	TC-14G-0304
FM53 and CBRNF12	EARLY 2010
FM53 and CBRNF12B filter	
C420 PAPR with C50 mask and CBRNF12B filter	TC-14G-0294
C420 PAPR with CBRNFM12 mask and CBRNF12B filter	TC-14G-0293
ST53 SCBA	TC-13F-577, 2216 psi, 30 min TC-13F-578, 4500 psi, 30 min TC-13F-579, 4500 psi, 45 min TC-13F-580, 4500 psi, 60 min

#### **Comfort Harness**

- •Low profile brow pads eliminate pressure points
- Lycra material for comfort
- Machine washable

#### **User Benefits**

- •Delivers easy donning and secure fit to head
- •Discomfort from helmet integration resolved

## **Unique 1-piece Visor**

- •Flexible, distortion free Polyurethane visor
- No yellowing / aging issues
- •Triple bonded, will not delaminate
- •Scratch resistant, self healing

#### **User Benefits**

- •Mask can be folded in half for quick storage
- •Distortion-free vision for weapons sighting
- •Visor profile integrates with all ballistic helmets



## **Fewer Replacement Parts**

- •Speak through exhale valve
- •No speech diaphragm
- No nosecup check valves
- Common inlet/outlet valves

### **Fail Safe Drinking**

- Highest flow rates
- •Triple valve system
- •Fits canteens and bladders

#### **User Benefits**

- •Easy drinking while on the move
- Mask operable if external drinks tube damaged
- •Mouthpiece stows away when not in use

# Communications Port

- Unique integrated connector
- •Designed for voice amplifier and radios

#### **User benefits**

- •Clear communication for crowd control and team instructions.
- •Available comms lead works with existing 2 way radios



## **Simple Outserts**

- Increased ballistic protection
- Distortion free
- Additional scratch resistance
- •Flexible, lightweight
- Various light filters

#### **User Benefits**

- •User can fit and remove outsert unaided
- •'Rip Away' cover if user is sprayed with paint/dirt
- •Flexible visor allows user to fold mask for storage

# **Filter Options**

- •LH & RH 40mm filter mounts
- Accepts traditional and conformal filters

#### **User Benefits**

- Easily configured for LH or RH wearers
- Lower inventory cost
- •Close fit conformal filters protrude less

Interface

suits



#### 3 Mask Sizes Available

- •Fits 2% 98% of population
- •Butyl/Silicone faceblank material blend
- •Don in <9 seconds from carrier

#### **User Benefits**

- •High levels of comfort, no need to over-tighten
- •Only 2 straps to adjust
- •Pliable mask accommodates all face shapes

### **Low Cost of Ownership**

- Common inlet/outlet valve
- •Minimum replacement parts
- •Validated for >10 years

#### **User Benefits**

- Lower inventory cost
- •Requires only basic user maintenance
- •Common parts with FM53